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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS (BID PROTEST)

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U.S. COURT OF
FEDERAL CLAIMS

MANUS MEDICAL, LLC

Plaintiff,

v.

CoFC No. <u>16-</u>183 C

THE UNITED STATES,

Defendant.

MOTION FOR PRELIMNARY INJUNCTION

COMES NOW the Plaintiff Manus Medical, LLC ("Manus"), by and through undersigned counsel, and hereby files this Motion for Preliminary Injunction under Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(a) and the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims. As more fully stated in Plaintiff's Memorandum in Support of its Motion for Preliminary Injunction, filed concurrently herewith, by this action Manus seeks to enjoin the VA from going forward with award of a contract or contracts under the Solicitation No. VA240C-15-R-0022 (the "Solicitation," "Request for Proposals," or "RFP"), as written for the supply of Custom Sterile Procedure Packs. The Solicitation as issued violates federal procurement law and regulation because it is a full and open competition and not set aside for small business participation. Furthermore, the terms of the Solicitation are defective because they provide an unfair advantage to a class of offerors called Medical Surgical Prime Vendors ("MSPVs") via the improper bundling of requirements, and the

¹ According to the RFP Custom Sterile Procedure Packs are pre-packaged, sterilized sets of medical equipment and supplies identified by VA medical facilities from an identified packing and supply list. See RFP at 10.

procurement creates an organizational conflict of interest on the part offerors who are MSPVs. Additionally, Manus protests its recent exclusion from the competitive range in this procurement.

WHEREFORE Plaintiff respectfully requests that the Court grant the prayed for relief.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 5th day of February, 2016, a copy of the foregoing Motion for Preliminary Injunction and associated papers was served by electronic mail on:

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